Amendment dated August 6, 2007

Reply to Office Action of April 6, 2007

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

<u>Listing of Claims:</u>

(Currently Amended) A disk loading apparatus for a disk drive, comprising: 1.

a main body;

a tray including a disk-seating portion configured to be rotated inside and outside

the main body about a center of rotation located at one side of the main body, wherein at least a

portion of an edge of the tray has the same end or does not protrude beyond an end of a disk

seated in the disk-seating portion; and

a disk guide unit provided on the tray and the main body and configured to cause

a disk to be loaded and unloaded according to a rotating motion of the tray, wherein for at least

a portion of the movement of the tray from a closed position to an open position, a disk-loading

position determined by the disk guide unit is configured to move relative to the tray.

2. (Previously Presented) The disk loading apparatus as claimed in claim 1, further

comprising a drive unit configured to rotate the tray, wherein the drive unit comprises:

a driving motor configured to be mounted on a main base and rotate in a forward

or reverse direction; and